Mountain Weather Forecast

Snowdonia National Park

Forecast valid from 00:00 on Saturday 17 Oct 2020 until 23:59 on Sunday 18 Oct 2020

Forecast Issued on Friday 16 Oct 2020 at 12:23

Confidence: High for generally settled conditions over the weekend and turning more unsettled into next week, but low confidence for cloud amounts and for how wet and windy next week is.

Headline for Saturday 17 Oct 2020: Bright, with some sunshine but rather cloudy with some showers.

Mountain weather hazards on Saturday 17 Oct 2020

Blizzards No Likelihood	**Heavy Snow** No Likelihood	**Storm force winds** No Likelihood
Gales No Likelihood	**Severe chill effect** No Likelihood	**Poor visibility** Low Likelihood
Thunderstorms No Likelihood	**Heavy persistent rain** No Likelihood	**Strong sunlight** Low Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation at 800m							
Time							
00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
Clear night	Clear night	Sunny intervals	Sunny intervals	Cloudy	Cloudy	Cloudy	Cloudy
Precipitation probability							
00%	<05%	10%	10%	20%	20%	30%	30%

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Weather: Some clear spells overnight, but rather cloudy at times with thicker cloud in north and east and some cloud on lower slopes too. Then a mostly dry and bright start with some sunny spells and most low cloud in northeast will lift and clear, but still a good deal of cloud through the day, especially across the north and east with some showers too.

Chance of cloud free mountain/hill tops above 800m: Between 30 and 60%, with best chance in southwest. Broken cloud above 800m, but down to 600m at times, especially in northeast, where down to 400 or 500m at first.

Visibility: Good beneath cloud, but some reductions with showers and poor or very poor on the tops in cloud.

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Height (m)	Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph)					Wind Direction (blowing from)			
	00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
900	15/21 E	13/18 E	12/19 E	14/21 E	11/17 E	9/14 E	9/13 NE	9/13 E	8/10 E
600	12/19 E	10/16 E	10/16 E	10/17 E	9/14 E	7/12 E	7/11 E	6/9 E	5/8 E
300	8/17 E	7/14 E	7/15 E	8/15 E	7/13 E	6/11 E	4/9 E	4/8 E	4/6 E
Valley	8/14 E	6/12 E	7/13 SE	7/13 SE	7/12 E	6/11 NE	4/8 E	4/7 SE	4/7 SE

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)								
	00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
900	3/-1	3/-2	2/-2	2/-2	4/-0	4/1	3/-0	3/-0	3/-0
600	6/2	5/2	4/1	5/1	6/4	7/4	6/3	5/3	5/3
300	8/5	7/5	6/4	7/5	9/7	9/8	8/6	7/6	7/6
Valley	8/6	7/5	7/5	8/7	10/9	10/9	9/8	9/8	8/7
Freezing Level*	1400m	1400m	1500m	1600m	1500m	1500m	1400m	1400m	1400m

**Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.*

Meteorologist's View

Feeling warm in any sunshine, with mostly light winds, but higher tops often in cloud.

Forecast for Sunday 18 Oct 2020

Weather: Mostly cloudy with a few light showers, but some bright or sunny spells and clear periods in evening.

Maximum wind: Southeast 10mph becoming south or southwest 20mph later

Chance of cloud free mountain/hill tops above 800m: 30 or 40% with broken cloud above 800m, but falling to 600m at times.

Visibility: Mostly good beneath cloud but brief reductions with showers

Temperature: **Valleys:** Plus 5 or 6, perhaps plus 2 in a few of the valleys, rising to plus 11 C
At 800m: Plus 3 or 4 C
Freezing level: Above the tops

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